

TRUMPET TRIO WINS TROPHY AT B.E.A. AMATEUR NIGHT

BEISEKER. — The Beiseker Enterprises Association sponsored a very successful Amateur night on Wednesday, May 30, in the Memorial hall, which was packed beyond seating capacity. Chairmen for the evening was Mr. Don Smith, first vice-president of this association who, in opening the program, reminded the people of the objectives of this association.

SUPER-MEN AND MACHINERY

By W. S. BACKMAN,
Field Supervisor, Agricultural
Service Board

Machinery Field Days hold the spotlight of our interest this week. Demonstrations and trials in all sizes and classes of tillage machinery will be an interesting contrast to the old-time plowing match. The plow is still important enough to draw the crowd in parts of Canada. The best Canadian plowmen still go to the British Isles to compete against super plowmen. They take great pride in the straight, well turned furrow and headlands worked so that every foot of soil is used. There are still parts of the world, such as Sicily, where even in this age you can see land being cultivated with primitive wooden plows with an iron shoe. The contrast between those implements is as great as the difference between the modern jet propelled planes and the old kites we used in the first war.

My son has recently been tested for fitness to take air crew training in the R.C.A.F. His tests were as different from those I had to pass, to qualify for pilot's training in 1918, as the farm machinery used in the same periods. The acceleration test in which a lad's senses of sight and hearing are tested to the blackout point in a whirling, tumbling machine under high altitude conditions, were never dreamed of in my time. It is so different from the comparatively simple test that I had to pass. The airman who could sit in an open cockpit plane guided by a joy stick and equipped with a single, small machine gun that was hand operated from a swivel mounted in front of him, did not need audiogram, electroradiograph and phychiatrist tests. All he needed was nerve, daring, a sure eye and a quick finger on the trigger. Billie Bishop, the super-man of our days might have difficulty in passing the test a pilot passes today.

Progress in farm machinery is just as spectacular as that taking place in airborne machines. The modern self-propelled combine, which is operated by one man, does the same job that two different sets of equipment did in 1918, and does it much faster. They eliminate the harvester trains, stooking and the big threshing outfits of a few years ago. Seeding by hand in ground roughly scratched with a wooden plow is a long way from the modern machine which tills and seeds a quarter section in 18 hours.

Along with the modern machine we use ancient methods. One evening last week I saw a most spectacular sight of swath burning. There were more than 1,000 fires in one quarter section. It resembled an incendiary bomb raid I saw in England in 1940. The small fires in the field here were started by men running from row to row with burning straw. Soon the whole field was afire. In England the bombs were dropped from enemy planes to cause destruction. Each little bomb

The trophy presented by the Board of Trade was given for the best performance of the program by Mr. John Leiske, a long time member of this organization, to the Trumpet Trio, Marjorie Leiske, Larry Leiske and Bobby Huether. Mr. Leiske briefly outlined the history of this trophy, which was first donated in 1938 to the Board of Trade by the Wildfire Coal Co.

Entries for this amateur night were from Carbon, Dalroy, Sunnyslope, Crossfield, Irricana, Beiseker and district. Judge for this was Mr. L. Sagert, principal of the Swallow school.

Winners were as follows:

In the Junior Section—Vocal, 1, Jerry Leiske, Level Land; 2, Gene Reifsnyder, Level Land. Instrumental, 1, Leslie Berreth, Level Land; 2, Margaret and Joey Wright, Beiseker. Elocution, 1, Jean Gratz, Sunnyslope; 2, Della Crawford, Irricana. Novelty, 1, Dianne Korschuk, Crossfield; 2, Gail Korschuk, Crossfield. In the Senior Section—Vocal, 1, Mona, Ingas and Leah Gilberg, Irricana. Instrumental, 1, Trumpet Trio, Larry Leiske, Marjorie Leiske and Bobby Huether, Level Land; 2, Marlene Berreth, Dalroy, accordion solo. Popular and Western, 1, Vernon Rau, Beiseker; 2, Joanne Olhauser and Shirley Hay, Carbon. Instrumental, 1, Leslie Berreth, Level Land, accordion solo. Elocution, 1, Nova Crawford, Irricana; 2, Gloria Rau, Beiseker. Novelty, 1, Comedy Act, Vera Schmaltz, Pauline Schmaltz, Viola Meidinger and Vera Keim, Beiseker.

After the competing numbers on the program were finished and Mr. Sagert was summing up the points in the performance, the Grades 7, 8 and 9 Carbon Girls' Choir sang several selections, accompanied by Mrs. Olhauser at the piano.

started a small fire which spread until most of London was burning. The sight of the burning field reminded me of another night that I stood on Cemetery Hill in Sicily and saw destruction in human lives, that this good land might be protected.

The modern disc harrow seeder combination was in the burned field the following day, and before night it was completely seeded. In two hours the man on this machine did as much as a man on a drill, behind four horses, could do between sunrise and sunset in 1918. In another burned field not far from the cemetery there were three of these modern machines at work. They did a full quarter section in eight hours. Super machines operated by just ordinary men whose fathers drove horses instead of caterpillar tractors. Twenty acres in a full day was considered the maximum by the men who drilled with horses.

In the earlier days more farm labor was necessary. Excursion trains brought help from Eastern Canada. They came from small farms on which the cradle was used to harvest grain. It was tied by hand with straw instead of binder twine. The bundles were threshed on a threshing floor. Two hickory sticks, loosely held together with

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1951 KIBA BASEBALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE

May 27—Acme at Keoma
Irricana at Beiseker
May 29—Acme at Irricana
May 30—Beiseker at Keoma
June 3—Beiseker at Acme
Irricana at Keoma
June 6—Acme at Beiseker
June 7—Keoma at Irricana
June 10—Acme at Keoma
Irricana at Beiseker
June 13—Keoma Tournament
June 15—Keoma at Beiseker
Irricana at Acme
June 17—Keoma at Acme
Beiseker at Irricana
June 20—Beiseker at Keoma
June 21—Acme at Irricana
June 24—Beiseker at Irricana
June 27—Irricana at Acme
Keoma at Beiseker
July 1—Beiseker at Acme
Keoma at Irricana
July 4—Irricana Sports
July 8—Acme at Beiseker
Irricana at Keoma
July 15—Keoma at Acme
July 25—Acme Sports
Aug. 1—Beiseker Sports

FACTS FOR FARMERS

"FERTILIZERS IN ALBERTA" is the name of a recently revised bulletin published by the Alberta Advisory Committee, which may be obtained from your District Agriculturist or Field Supervisor. It contains useful information regarding the value of fertilizers and definite recommendations as to its use. All farmers who use fertilizer should have a copy, and be guided by the advice of the Advisory Fertilizer Committee, in "Fertilizers in Alberta."

CALFHOOD VACCINATION IN BANGS-FREE HERD — Cattle-men with herds free from Bangs Disease should be taking active steps to prevent loss of calf crops this year. Calfhood vaccination is urged in the case of all heifer calves between four and eight months of age. Those who have calves this age are urged to contact the field supervisor as soon as possible. The veterinarian has agreed to do them in small groups, provided the calves are in and ready when he arrives. It is to your own advantage to report all cases of abortion in cattle. It may be due to the feed you are using.

TREE-PLANTING DEMONSTRATION will be conducted during the summer on the north side of the main highway east of Acme, and at A. Craig Pierce's farm, Sec. 15-28-21-4, 12 miles west of Drumheller on highway No. 9. Ten thousand trees will be planted with a tree-planting machine in this area. Prepare your ground for tree planting in 1952 and order your trees now. Orders must be in at least one year ahead.

W. S. BACKMAN, Field Supervisor,
Agricultural Service Board.

BEISEKER NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. C. F. Lohrke is attending the Eastern Star Grand Chapter in Edmonton this week. She planned to visit the Reid's, McLean's and Bannerman's, all former residents of Beiseker.

Miss Florence Togstad has returned to work after her two weeks holiday from the Royal Bank.

Miss Annie German was at home for a few days last week from Strathmore.

Mr. Bill Tidy, Jr., left Thursday, May 31, for Montreal, where he will begin his new career.

Mr. M. A. Bettin was home just last week-end from Creston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wright and family spent last week-end at Sylvan Lake.

The KIBA have one win and one loss to report during the past week. Last Wednesday they beat Keoma 5-4, and last Sunday Acme beat them 16-2.

Mrs. A. MacKinnon spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Schissel before leaving for Los

Angeles, where she has accepted a position in a doctor's office.

A large number of the Beiseker High School students and Mr. Murray attended the Acme High School graduation. Dr. Doucette of the Faculty of Education, Calgary, was the guest speaker.

Mr. Willie Ternes is ill with pleurisy.

Mr. Anton Hagel is busy adding a porch to his present home.

The cementing of the new school foundation has been completed.

Quite a number of the gardens were nipped last week, when there was 6 degrees of frost. However the grain apparently is not showing any damage.

Two more fishermen, namely, Bill Rempel and Bill Tidy tried their luck at angling last Sunday, but came home just as downhearted as our previous Sunday's gang. Next Sunday Charlie Lohrke and Pete Schmaltz will be going to investigate if there are any fish left after their big haul last year!

Balthaser Schmaltz Takes Prize In Calf Show

Balthaser Schmaltz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schmaltz, won third place for his calf in the Avondale Club competition. The Club also took the championship in groups of three in Shorthand and Herefords. Balthaser's calf was one of the group of Herefords. These calves averaged 84½¢ per pound. Rose and Marie Schmaltz made good showings with their calves also.

The show, sponsored by the Drumheller District Agriculture Society in co-operation with the Department of Agriculture and sponsors, was directed by District Agriculturist N. E. Bell, and was a successful event.

Others attending this show besides the three above-mentioned were Mr. Chris Schmaltz, Mr. Val Schmaltz, who is on the advisory committee; Marvie Schmaltz, Matt Schmaltz, Mattie and Lawrence Schmaltz.

Beiseker CWL Holds Banquet

The Beiseker subdivision of the C.W.L. held an installation banquet Thursday evening, May 31, in the Memorial Hall. There were close to 90 members, our chaplain, Rev. Father Tennant, and guest speaker Father Timothy Gilker, Reverend Director of the Franciscan Fathers of Mont St. Francis Retreat House, Cochrane.

After the excellent banquet Mrs. Killen and Mrs. Lorne Bunyan delighted the gathering with a vocal duet, accompanied by Mrs. Lou Brosteaux.

The regular meeting conducted by our President, Mrs. Frank Lyczewski, followed with the important item of new business being the catering of the C.W.L. to a banquet for our newly formed Council of the Knights of Columbus, which will take place Sunday, June 24, when they will receive their Charter.

Following this business our chaplain introduced the guest speaker, Fr. Timothy, who gave a splendid address on the Retreat Movement at Cochrane, and in the few years they have been there, showed the progress of this movement by the increase of retreatants from 45 the first year to 850 this third year.

Mrs. Lou Brosteaux at this time gave a piano solo.

Father Tennant, in concluding the program thanked the ladies for their splendid co-operation during the past year, and reminded the ladies of the C.W.L. Convention in Drumheller, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, June 4-6, he also thanked Miss Dora Schultz and her assistants for the splendid meal for this occasion, and the final closing was with the installation of officers.

Old Landmark Destroyed By Fire

One of the Beiseker's old landmarks was totally destroyed by fire early Sunday afternoon. The two-story residence, built in 1917 by the Alberta-Pacific Grain Co., was occupied by their buyers until 1940, when they then sold it to the municipality.

Recently the house was purchased from the municipality by Mr. Walter Zacher of Calgary, and it had been remodelled. Origin of the fire was a defective chimney. Loss was partly covered by insurance.

Absent-minded Prof.: Have you seen my hat?

Pupil: You've got it on your head.

Absent One: Thanks. But for you I would have gone without it.



KING GEORGE is seen standing up in a land rover, the British equivalent of a jeep, as he reviewed the British Legion in Hyde Park, London. It was the first time since World War II that the ex-servicemen's organization has been reviewed by the Monarch.

AFA Committee Promotes Experimental Farm Aid

The Alberta Federation of Agriculture has set up a committee representing different zones and various phases of agriculture served by the Lacombe Experimental Farm.

Committee will act in an advisory capacity and endeavor to

form a liaison between experimental farms and farms in the area served by them.

Members of the committee are A. C. B. Grenville of Morrin, Pete Wiley of Leduc, Robert Carlyle of Blackfalds, Harold McLaughlin of Spruce Grove, with Roy Marler and James E. McFall of Calgary acting as chairman and secretary respectively.

Mr. Marler, president of the Federation, announced this week that Donald C. Brinton has been appointed director of the Federation's farm radio program.

Mr. Brinton is a native Albertan, having grown up in Vegreville. The program is heard at 12:20 noon over CFRN Edmonton, and at 12 noon over CFRC, Calgary, Monday through Friday.

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"Do you play any musical instruments? Do you have a dog, or a parrot?"

"No, but my fountain pen scratches sometimes."

VOICE OF EXPERIENCE

"My wife always lets me have the last word," exulted the husband of two months.

"Huh!" snorted a reasoned old-timer; "just wait until you run out of compliments, young feller!"

JUST SEW

Mrs. Jane — Is Mrs. Smith an active member of the Womens' Sewing Club?

Mrs. Sofie — My, no. She never has a word to say. She just sits there and sews.

BE QUIET

The doctor told the film actress that she was run down and needed a change.

"A change," said she, "Do you know that during the last 18 months I've had three husbands, four cars, three jewel robberies, 11 cooks, two divorces, and seven landlords? What other change can you suggest?"

LEARNING FROM GRANNY

A certain grandson of Queen Victoria, when a freshman at Oxford, had spent all of his allowance and, what was worse, gone ten pounds in debt.

He appealed to his royal grandmother, asking her for an advance on future remittances. He didn't get it. Instead, he received a lengthy letter from that austere lady containing some reproof and much, much advice.

In due course the young man replied to this. He had, he said, decided to heed everything his grandmother had to say about conservation and thrift and had, in fact, already begun by selling the original of her letter to a collector for twenty-five pounds.

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Response Cool to FUA Delegation to Ottawa

The Central Executive of the F.U.A. met in Edmonton last week. All members were present. Mr. J. E. Phelps, president of the Saskatchewan Farmers' Union, also attended the meeting.

The question of sending a mass delegation of farmers from the three Prairie Provinces to Ottawa to press the demand for a revision of wheat prices was considered at some length. In returns received from various locals in these provinces, so far the majority favor such a course.

However in view of the fact that the majority of locals have not been heard from so far, and that such a delegation would take considerable time to organize and that to be effective, it would have to visit Ottawa before Parliament prorogues, it was decided that a mass delegation should not be sent at present.

It was agreed that a joint delegation comprising several representatives from each of the three Farm Unions should be sent to Ottawa at an early date. This delegation will press the Government for action on a number of points, particularly a revision of the price of Canadian wheat, both on the domestic market and under the International Wheat Agreement.

The delegation will also press

the demand for a Board of Arbitration or a Royal Commission to consider wheat growers' claims to a further payment on the 5-year pool.

The Alberta representatives on the delegation will be A. R. Hadland and President Henry Young of the Farmers' Union of Alberta.

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Alberta Town Planners Meet in Calgary For Group's First Regional Conference

Alberta Division of the Community Planning Association of Canada gathered for its first regional conference in Calgary's Palliser Hotel, June 1 and 2.

Movement is a citizen's organization formed in 1947 by civic and municipal officials, architects, engineers and laymen.

It is designed to assist in the planned development of urban Canadian areas.

Guests were welcomed by Mayor Don Mackay of Calgary and C. E. Gerhart, provincial minister of municipal affairs.

Main address of the first day's gathering was given by Noel

Dant, Edmonton town planner, who spoke on "Town Planning Techniques."

Other addresses included talks by Humphrey Carver on "Planning Surveys," Harry Jackson on "Planning Activities in Vancouver," and MacDonald Millard on "Alberta Highways."

Mr. Gerhart spoke on the concluding day of the conference, and Professor H. P. Oberlander talked on "Regional Planning," after which bylaws were adopted and officers elected.

Chairmen of the sessions were L. Plotkin, regional planner, Edmonton; R. R. Gillespie, city commissioner, Red Deer; R. F. Lawrence, secretary - treasurer of Springbank Municipality; and G. M. Brown, Calgary, Alberta councillor of the Community Planning Association of Canada.

ALBERTA TO IMPROVE ROADS

Nearly 1,000 miles of main highway work will be done by the provincial government this year. This will be financed by \$13,500,000 provided for this purpose of the recent session of the legislature.

Here is the program:

	Miles
New asphalt hard surfacing ..	243
Seal coating (asphalt)	220
Grading and graveling	402
Completing 1950 program	127
Total	990

In addition, the province expects to spend \$2,000,000 as its share of costs on construction of the Trans-Canada highway in Alberta.

Further, the 1951-52 estimate provided \$1,500,000 for bridge construction on capital account.

NORTH CUT-OFF

This year's program provides for construction of 40 miles of the new 100 mile cut-off road from Whitecourt to Valleyview in the Peace River country, providing the north with a new outlet. Standard earth grade and graveling will be carried out for 20 miles at each end of the project.

Around the Edmonton area, 230 miles of work will be done in the current season, including 88 miles of hard surfacing, 127 miles of seal coat, 91 miles of earth grading and graveling and 56 miles of completion of last year's program.

Around Calgary, 193 miles of work is planned, to include 63 miles of hard surfacing, 18 miles of seal coating, 100 miles of earth grading and graveling and 25 miles to complete the 1950 program.

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ALBERTA A. B. Clarence Little of Millet, left, is seen posing with David Buick of Vernon, B.C., aboard HMCS Athabaskan with their ship's mascots. Photo was taken shortly before destroyer returned to home base at Esquimalt, B.C., after having spent 10 months in Far East.

Native of India Chooses Alberta as Adopted Land

An Alberta man who can look back on a life of success in his adopted land is 68-year-old Sam Singh of Calahoo, a native of India.

A former wrestler and member of the Indian Army, Mr. Singh owns and operates the E. I. Quality Store in Calahoo. The E. I. stands for East Indian.

Calahoo is 25 miles northwest of Edmonton.

Mr. Singh, whose Indian name was Sohaningh, came to Canada in 1911, and settled in Victoria. There he was manager of a Hindu-language newspaper, Sansar, (The World), until it ceased publication in 1914.

BECAME CHRISTIAN

In 1916 he became a Christian, shaved off his beard and was baptized.

Married in 1927, he has five daughters and two sons.

Two of his daughters are married, and he has one grand-daughter.

One of his sons works in an Edmonton garage, the other is still in school.

Two of his daughters have been working as cream tasters in an Edmonton dairy. A third is due to graduate in commercial art this month.

A robust, healthy man, Mr. Singh is liked and respected by his neighbors in the Calahoo district.

Trans-Pacific Mail Quicker Than Alta Post Office Service

CALGARY, Alta. — (BUP) — Norman H. Miller received a letter that took longer to travel from Calgary post office to his home than it did to reach the post office from Australia.

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Health Team Fights Plague Threat Here

(By British United Press)

Travelling in a specially fitted panel truck, an Alberta health department team has moved into a thinly settled area of southeastern Alberta to maintain an annual check on the spread of bubonic plague.

Department officials said Alberta contained the largest bubonic plague area east of the Rocky Mountains in either Canada or the United States, and offered a valuable source of research.

However, the officials admitted the annual checks had been given a need for urgency in recent years by the threatened invasion of Alberta by Norway rats and by spread of the bubonic plague area.

No deaths have occurred in Alberta from the plague—the dreaded “black death” of the 15th century, for which there still is no cure—and the disease has been confined to gophers and other small animals in an area where human contact was limited.

RATS STILL COMING

Rats, which could spread the plague rapidly, were last reported to have moved to Alberta's eastern boundary on their westward migration across Saskatchewan, and a close vigil was being maintained by government field men for any sign of them entering Alberta.

No “immediate hazard” could be seen by health authorities, but the “potential danger” was there, they admitted.

The plague was first detected in the Hanna-Youngstown “dried out” area, northeast of Calgary, but in recent years it has been spotted further south between Lamond and Vulcan, north of Claresholm and north of Brooks. The entire area covered some 3,000 square miles.

J. H. Brown, provincial entomologist, said placards are placed in prominent places warning of the plague wherever it is found. He also said residents have been educated to shoot gophers and other rodents on sight in these areas.

Brown said rats have created no danger from the plagues in Saskatchewan, Manitoba, and other provinces where they were prevalent, simply because the disease has never been discovered there.

He said that to help stem the threatened invasion of Alberta by rats, the rodents were recently declared pests under the Alberta pest control act. Reams of propa-

FIVE-DAY RODEO SET

Edmonton Exhibition Association will unveil their first rodeo, a five-day event, at the Exhibition grounds June 19 to 23, in association with Herman Linder, world famous cowboy.

Shows will be held each night at 8 p.m. with a Saturday matinee at 2:30 p.m.

Program will include trick roping and riding, saddle bronc riding, calf roping, Brahma bull riding, bareback horse riding, and

Phonetic Teaching System Still Used

CALGARY, Alta. — (BUP) — Mrs. Tillie Gregg, a former school-teacher who is now a consultant for a publishing company, said here that the phonetic system had not been discarded in teaching children to read.

She said a combination of five methods was used and listed them.

By context—to teach the child to expect to get meaning out of what he reads. By word form—what the word looks like, particularly its length. By phonetic clue—what sounds arise in the child's mind when he sees certain letters. By word structure—what endings or prefixes it may have. Dictionary use—to look up the meanings and pronunciations of strange words.

ganda were spread among farmers, especially those in Eastern Alberta, requesting them to report anything even resembling a rat. One colony was wiped out near a farm at Alsask on the Alberta-Saskatchewan border since the anti-rat war got underway in earnest.

Reports were being received regularly from rural residents, but in most cases the suspected rats turned out to be pocket gophers.

Tires on a B-36 superbomber are nine feet two inches tall and each contains enough nylon to make 15,000 pairs of stockings.

wild steer decorating.

One of the highlight features are performances by Dick and Pauline Pickard in trick roping and riding.

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Roy S. Seward's trick roping act from a slack rope, which is generally conceded to be the best in the world, will be another highlight of the rodeo.

RCMP RAISES OWN HORSES

CALGARY, Alta. — (BUP) — The Royal Canadian Mounted Police are raising their own horses at Fort Walsh in south-eastern Alberta, where the force had its headquarters from 1879 to 1882.

The ranch was described in a recent issue of the RCMP quarterly by Sgt. R. R. Van Patten, riding instructor at the RCMP Regina barracks.

A black thoroughbred stallion, Soldier's Son, heads the stock at the ranch. The article explained that black is considered the ideal color for RCMP horses.

There is also a herd of about 30 mares.

The article said that a remount for the police force required approximately two months of training before it was placed in a troop. . . . Eighteen three-year-olds were selected as remounts in the latest roundup.

May Stop Accidents Flashy New Lights

HALIFAX, N.S. — (BUP) — Halifax trolley buses have been equipped with flashy new lights that are expected to cut down on accidents from left turns.

The “flasher” was designed by the Transit Department of the Nova Scotia Light and Power company and is believed to be the first of its kind. It is installed on the left front side of the coaches at the motorist's eye-level. When the bus driver desires to turn left, he pushes a button in that direction and an amber light outside his cab flashes off and on. Motorists who have pulled up with the front of the bus are warned of its driver's intentions.

Report Syphilis Lower In Alberta

CALGARY — Pre-marital blood tests have contributed to a decline of syphilis in Alberta according to a report presented by Rev. Thomas Hart to the United Church in Alberta Conference Friday.

Information provided by Dr. Harold Orr, director of the social hygiene division of the provincial department of public health, also showed that there was still a high percentage of “false positive” reports in blood tests.

Of 165 positive tests last year, it was reported 97 were “false positives” attributed to such other conditions as common colds, pneumonia, fever or respiratory infection.

Canada Tough Market For British Firms

REGINA, Sask. — (BUP) — The nearness of American manufacturers makes Canada the world's toughest market for British firms. That, at least, is how it looks to G. W. Bone, director of Davey, Paxman and Co. Ltd., Colchester, England, manufacturers of diesel engines.

Bone said devaluation of the pound sterling helped his firm offer competitive prices in Canada.

Most of his company's Canadian business was done in Ontario and British Columbia, he said, although many western farmers are ordering diesel engines to operate pumps for irrigations.

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The Boston educationist, in Toronto for a dentists' convention, said if teeth deteriorate at the rate they have been since 1900, by the turn of the next century almost all North Americans won't have a tooth in their mouths.

Zander of Tufts College in Boston, said the reasons for poor teeth are ignorance of proper diet, and hygienic foods.

The professor said the many types of rich foods available in North America lead to rapid dental decay.

He blamed over-refined foods such as devalitized white bread, fancy pastries, sweetened soda pop, and white sugar for inducing the growing rate of dental caries or decay. He said a return to the diets of our ancestors would strengthen our teeth.

It was interesting to note, Zander said, that natives of Central Africa have excellent teeth, while the Eskimos of North America are notorious for their poor dental health. Diet is the explanation in both cases, he said.

Zander said it is foolish to sacrifice children's teeth for the sake of jelly beans, for example.

He has been experimenting for the past two years with penicillin in tooth powder and tooth paste, and found penicillin cuts down dental decay by 55 per cent.

He predicted many penicillin dentrifices, such as the recently developed denticillin, would appear on market shortly.

The doctor recommended changing diets from rich foods back to the plain type of foods that our ancestors ate, and a greater concentration on dental cleansing for better teeth.

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They have a family of nine children, one boy is employed by Mr. Matt Schmaltz, one girl is married in the old country, and the remaining seven, two boys and five girls are coming to Canada with their parents.

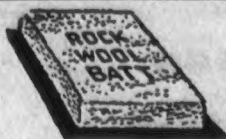
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I have been going with a private in the army for several months. I am not crazy about him but I like him a lot and he wants to marry me.

Do you think it would solve my problem to marry him and get away from home with all its complications; BESS.

Answer:

I can understand how discouraged you get over your home situation and I know that just such circumstances as surround you are the cause of dozens of girls foolishly marrying the first boy who comes along and asks them only to find out that they are in a worse mess, then, than they were in before.

Marriage to a boy you know nothing about and one who does not make enough to support you is a bad enough risk, but when you admit that you are not in love with him, that is almost a certain reason for such a marriage to be a failure.

If things get too unbearable at home, the thing for you to do is to get a job away from your home town and live where you can have a certain degree of peace and happiness. Perhaps your father will shoulder his responsibility if you are not there to do it for him.

If he had been a loyal father to you and had worn himself out to give advantages and education, it would be your duty to stand by no matter how disagreeable it seemed, but there is no sense in

a girl giving up all the pleasure and fun of youth to support a good-for-nothing lazy father, or to take over his home burdens.

Don't make the horrible mistake of trying to escape from your situation by marriage. There is nothing more unbearable than a loveless marriage and if Mr. Right should come along after you have tied yourself up to the wrong man, your worries of today would seem as naught compared to what they would be then. Good Luck,
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A Half Century Of the Air Age

Flight of a lone pilot across Alberta last week enroute non-stop to New York from Norway via the north pole is something of a feat when we bear in mind that less than 50 years have elapsed since that eventful day at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina, when the Wright brothers made four successful flights in their bi-plane.

Accomplishments of aviation today may lead us to think a spectacular and revolutionary event has taken place. Actually, the growth of aviation has been slow and steady.

Alberta, we may add, has always been in the front ranks of aerial progress. Since the early days of the bush-pilots Alberta has been aviation conscious.

Fine civilian airports are maintained here today and some of the nation's biggest military airfields are in Alberta.

The record since 1903 reveals a slow and steady development. This will probably hold true for the future but none of us now living can accurately predict, or possibly imagine, what the next 50 years will bring in the development of aerial travel.

Farm Vote Important

The Calgary Albertan points out in an editorial that although half of the population of the Province resides on farms, only 12 of the 57 members of the Legislature are farmers. The disparity on the farmer representation is obvious to everyone.

Farmers, who comprise roughly 90 % of the population of the Grouard Constituency, have an opportunity to right this situation insofar as they are concerned. One of the three candidates, a Liberal, is a farmer of the district. His two opponents, a Social Creditor and a CCF candidate are not farmers.

As the Albertan points out, the farmers of Alberta are fully competent and rural Alberta has more than its fair share of brains and good sense. It is to be hoped that in the forthcoming by-election Grouard voters will send the only possible farmer representative, Liberal candidate J. R. Desfosses, to the Legislature.

Seeding Crops

There are four essentials in obtaining a good stand of forage crops—good seed, moist soil, a firm seed bed, and shallow seeding—says J. E. Birdsall, Alberta supervisor of crop improvement. With moisture in most parts of Alberta in good supply, this appears to be a particularly good year to plant forage crops.

Mr. Birdsall says that where land is in good tilth and favorably located for moisture supplies, it may be cultivated this spring and then seeded to forage early in June, along with a nurse crop of grain.

In the dry areas, very early seeding in summerfallow is the recommended practice, and a nurse crop should not be used since all the moisture is needed for the forage.

Note and Comment

There is no business anywhere that cannot be improved by attention and hard work.

Then there is the man whose memory was so bad that he could not remember his memory system.

Most of the smart sayings that you read are partially true.

Religion involves a willingness to give other people a square deal.

If everybody thought alike this would be a stagnant world.

The Bible Says:

"O praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise him, all ye people."—Psalms 117:1.

How Fast Is An Escalator?

Moving stairways in New York City (a good place to investigate them) are limited by law to the speed of 125 feet a minute, The Magazine of Building reports. That's a seeming snail's pace of about a mile and a half an hour. In the London subways at rush hour they hit two miles an hour, and that speed may become general in this country. Department store escalators are often made to move more slowly, say 90 feet a minute. That's to

U.S. Army's New and Secret Tank

By E. H. SIMS

Very probably the biggest question in most American minds, about the quality of U.S. military equipment, has centred around tanks. In Korea, last summer, the Army was suddenly asked to fight a war, and it threw its only tanks nearby into the fight. They were training tanks, used for that purpose, in Japan. They were known as Chaffees.

Naturally they did not stack up well with Russian-made T-34 tanks. However, the new medium tank, the Patton, has done a good job in Korea, and the Army thinks it is more than a match for the T-34. In one battle 16 Pattons knocked out 16 T-34s, without the loss of a single tank. The Patton is an improvement over the World War II medium, the Pershing.

The new light tank to replace the Chaffee will contain more radical improvements than the Patton. The first ones will come off the production lines this spring. In the heavy tank field, the Army is not trying to build a big tank, but to build a tank capable of carrying a gun big enough to do its job, while maintaining mobility. Even the heavies are to be able to cross bridges a division can build. These tanks will begin coming off production lines some months after the new light tank.

Perhaps the new light tank is the apple of the Army's eye. It is a military secret, but should carry surprisingly potent fire-power on a light, maneuverable chassis. Many believe it will be a match for enemy mediums.

The big criticism of the Army in the past is that it has always had the best tanks in the world, on the drawing board, and the worst on the battlefield. Under-Secretary of the Army Alexander said this month we will get into new tank production on a good scale in nine months. These tanks will be the best in the world, he stated.

Alexander also said that the construction of high and low silhouettes was demonstrative of democracies and dictatorships. Russia's low tank is hard on even small men, and a death trap for the entire crew, he said. While Alexander may have a good point there, critics have voiced a belief something could be designed to meet both safety and difficult target demands.

The T-34, which our Pattons seemed to have mastered, is not the newest or best Russian tank. All we citizens can do is hope that the Army is right this time, that we are building the world's best tanks. There is confidence in that belief at the Pentagon:

Bible Doesn't Support Flat-Earth Theory

Contrary to popular but uninformed belief, the Bible does not support the view that the world is flat, Carl S. Wise points out in Science.

The Bible, however, he says, does have "a number of passages concerning the shapes and conditions of the world, past, present, and future. To name but a few, giving scriptural texts:

"1. At one time . . . the earth had no definite shape at all, either flat or round (Gen. 1: 2—And the earth was without form and void. . .)

"2. The earth is suspended in an ethereal vacuum and is part of a universe of immeasurable size. Furthermore, any attempt to detect the presence of a supporting medium, such as the Michelson-Morley ether-drift experiment, will give a pull answer (Job 26: 7—He stretcheth out the north over the empty place, and hangeth the earth upon nothing; Jer. 31: 37—Thus saith the Lord; if heaven above can be measured, and the foundations of the earth searched out beneath, I will cast off all the seed of Israel for all they have done, saith the Lord).

"3. A particularly striking picture is given by Job concerning the rotation of the earth. To understand it, one must be aware of the type of seals used by ancient peoples such as Babylonians, Phoenicians, etc. These seals, perforated longitudinally and rotating upon a tiny axle of some hard material, were pressed against the face of the damp clay and rotated. As the seal was turned in the clay, it left its inscription. In like manner our earth is journeying on her annual orbital revolution. At the same time the planet is spinning on its axis, turning in the face of the sun like the seal in the face of the clay (Job 38: 14—It is turned as clay to the seal; . . .).

"4. The earth is round, not flat (Isaiah 40: 22—It is he that sitteth upon the circle of the earth, . . . Note: The word "circle" is a translation of a Hebrew word that literally means 'roundness.'")

give the shopper time enough to develop the buying urge.

But don't despise the moving stairway as a slow-poke. An escalator less than a yard wide and moving at 125 f.p.m. can carry 580 people in five minutes—a job that it would take thirteen 2,500-pound capacity elevators to equal. As a result, moving stairways may more and more replace elevators in medium-height buildings.



A new famine in India is the world's largest trouble spot. India has turned down an outright gift of low-grade Canadian wheat in hopes of getting better grade grain from U.S. surpluses.

Voice of the People

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HOLLYWOOD CAPERS

Dear Sir—So another much-publicized Hollywood marriage is breaking up. Tell me: why don't these people quit calling them marriage ties and admit their vows are wedding lies? Or do they just crave publicity? Legal, Alta. SINCERE BRIDE.

GOVT CONTROL

Dear Sir—Farmers of Alberta have lost all say in the sale of their wheat, oats and barley, and now the AFA has petitioned the Manning government to bureaucratize all eggs and poultry, to be followed later by control of all livestock sales and every type of farm produce. We are to be subjugated and stagnated by the nazi-fascist-communist ideology. By the cost of living index, our dollar is now worth only 50 cents. And by our apathy, it's going up and up and up!

TOM FOULSOM
Rochford Bridge.

FROM CALIFORNIA

Dear Sir—I occasionally have an opportunity to read your paper and I noticed the letter about Maricle A. Traitor in a recent issue. It is interesting to note that some Canadians are awake. Congratulations to the person who wrote that letter. Keep up the good work. They cannot stand that for long. We have some here in the U.S. who have travelled farther than Warsaw and accomplished less. Los Angeles, Calif. C. A. OLSEN.

DEFENDS US

Dear Sir—In reply to "Citizen" from Jasper Place who wrote such a childish letter, I notice you referred to the editor of this paper and his writers as "rotten trashy punks."

Now just exactly what does that make you? Your mind must be warped because only a trashy punk would write and think like you. We wonder if you stopped to think before you sent the letter. What would be the opinions of your neighbors and family of you, and as for respect, did you ever have any, even for yourself? Certainly no one else has any for you. A person like you is completely in the shade. In the future try to cultivate your mind and do unto others, as you would like done unto you. CANADIAN CITIZEN, Alcomdale.

STOLEN LANDS

Dear Sir—I read a sarcastic article in an American paper asking when the British would give up Hong Kong and Singapore. I say this will happen the same time the U.S. gives up Puerto Rico, Formosa, Hawaii, the Philippines, California, Texas, and all the rest of the possessions they stole from other nations. God Save the King! Killam LOYALIST.

READING MATTER CRAVED

Dear Sir—Here in Korea reading matter is at a premium. We're busy fighting most of the time but we sometimes have vacant hours which would be much more enjoyable if we had access to books or enjoyable papers like yours which gives us features and current news in compact form. When writing to the boys over here, folks, include some good reading matter if you possibly can. PRINCESS PAT Korea.

"YOU'RE TOO OLD"

Dear Sir—What's the matter with employers who don't want to give a man a job because he's over 45? Don't they realize that although we may not have the strength of youth we've got the experience and sense that allows us to do a better job than the young folks. I've been looking for six weeks and all I ever hear is that "you're too old" refrain. Edmonton JOBLESS.

ARE POLITICS IN COUNCIL?

Dear Sir—Jasper Place is having a lot of trouble getting and keeping police. Seems the personal likes and dislikes of the council have a way of causing trouble. I suggest we hire a police chief, experienced and with investigated references give him all the help he needs and as long as he keeps to the rules as all good policemen should let him get on with it. Let us keep politics out of our Jasper Place Police Force. Jasper Place. RESIDENT.

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN

Dear Sir—While in Edmonton shopping, I noticed a young mother, take hold of her child, in a store and whip him as though she was insane. Surely she must have realized that people watching her, felt like turning her over their knee. Is it any wonder we have trouble with our children, when you see so called parents display bad temper in public places? What sort of a life must this child lead at home? Mannville. MOTHER OF TWO.

SHOPPING AT HOME

Dear Sir—Why do people from small towns run to the city to do their shopping? I'm not a business person—but if I were I certainly would try and close shop and move to the city. We as residents of small communities should support our local merchants first. He has invested money in our town and needs our help. We wouldn't have a town if all the business people closed up. Let's remember this and spend our dollars at home whenever possible. HOME TOWN SHOPPER. Morinville.

SUPER-MEN AND MACHINERY

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a leather thong, was the threshing machine. The novice who tried to use the flail had many bumps on the head before he separated much grain from the straw. The fork was later used to toss the straw into a breeze to separate chaff from grain. In Sicily the same means of separating grain from straw is still used. Instead of a flail a donkey is driven round and round on the bundles. Women had seeded the wheat, in small fields, on hill-sides. At harvest time they had cut the grain with a sickle, tied it in bundles, and carried it on their heads to the top of the hill. A round hill top of hard packed clay was the threshing floor. The lord and master sat in the centre of the floor singing Sicilian songs as he kept the donkey in motion. They, too, use the fork and wind to winnow the grain. In Sicily I also saw the old primitive wooden plow at work in the fields. Cultivation was done in some fields with a great flat hoe, men and women worked side by side to turn the soil over in a good sized field for that country. Small terraced fields in the olive and almond orchards were used to grow wheat. Many of them were smaller than the gardens in Three Hills. The contrast between their

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Handling Tough Grain on Farms

Late crops, unfavourable harvesting weather, restricted delivery quotas, and the shortage of boxcars have made it necessary to store a large volume of "tough" grain on farms this winter. Many Western farmers are therefore faced with the difficult problem of keeping farm-stored grain from heating and going out-of-condition.

A Tough Job. There is no easy way of drying grain on the farm. The average farm is not equipped with grain-drying machinery, or to turn and clean large quantities of tough grain. Consequently, to keep tough grain in condition, farmers must make the best possible use of the one important natural factor in their favour, namely, a cold, dry climate.

How to Prevent Losses. As farmers know only too well, tough grain is likely to go out-of-condition whenever high moisture and high temperature conditions occur. These are the conditions which favour the development of molds, mites and insects—the real enemies of stored grain.

Here are a few practical hints which, if followed, will help to prevent losses in farm-stored tough grain. (1) Make sure the granary is weather-proof and well ventilated. (2) Examine all grain stocks every two weeks. Remember, the larger the bin, the greater the danger. (3) Watch for damp spots, warm spots, and surface crusting or clumping. (4) If trouble starts, get busy at once. Cool the grain by moving it during very cold weather from one bin or place to another. Better still, run it through a fanning mill or through a threshing machine or combine, with cylinder teeth removed. Quick action will pay.

Tough farm-stored grain, like stolen goods, is "hot stuff to handle." The sooner you get rid of it the better. Plan on moving your "tough" grain to market as quickly as possible. For detailed information on the protection of farm-stored grain write to the Stored Products Insect Laboratory, Winnipeg.

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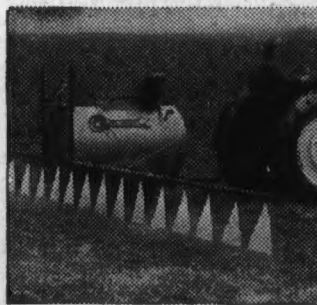
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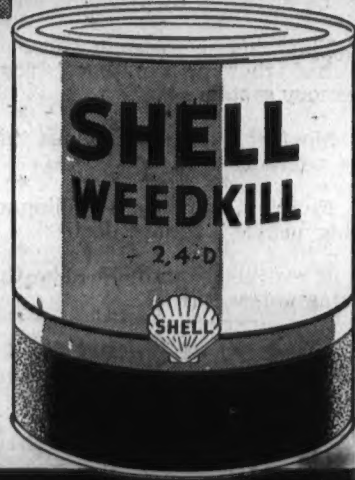
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